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Man dies, second injured in shooting

A 52-year old man has died of his wounds, and a 37-year old man was critically injured, from a 5 a.m. shooting Sunday in front of a motel on the 900-block of West Capitol Ave.

A police officer found the two wounded victims after hearing two gunshots.

Police lieutenant Ray Hensley said the two men were apparently standing on the sidewalk when a car traveling westbound on West Capitol stopped, and its occupants contacted the victims. After words were exchanged, one occupant opened fire.

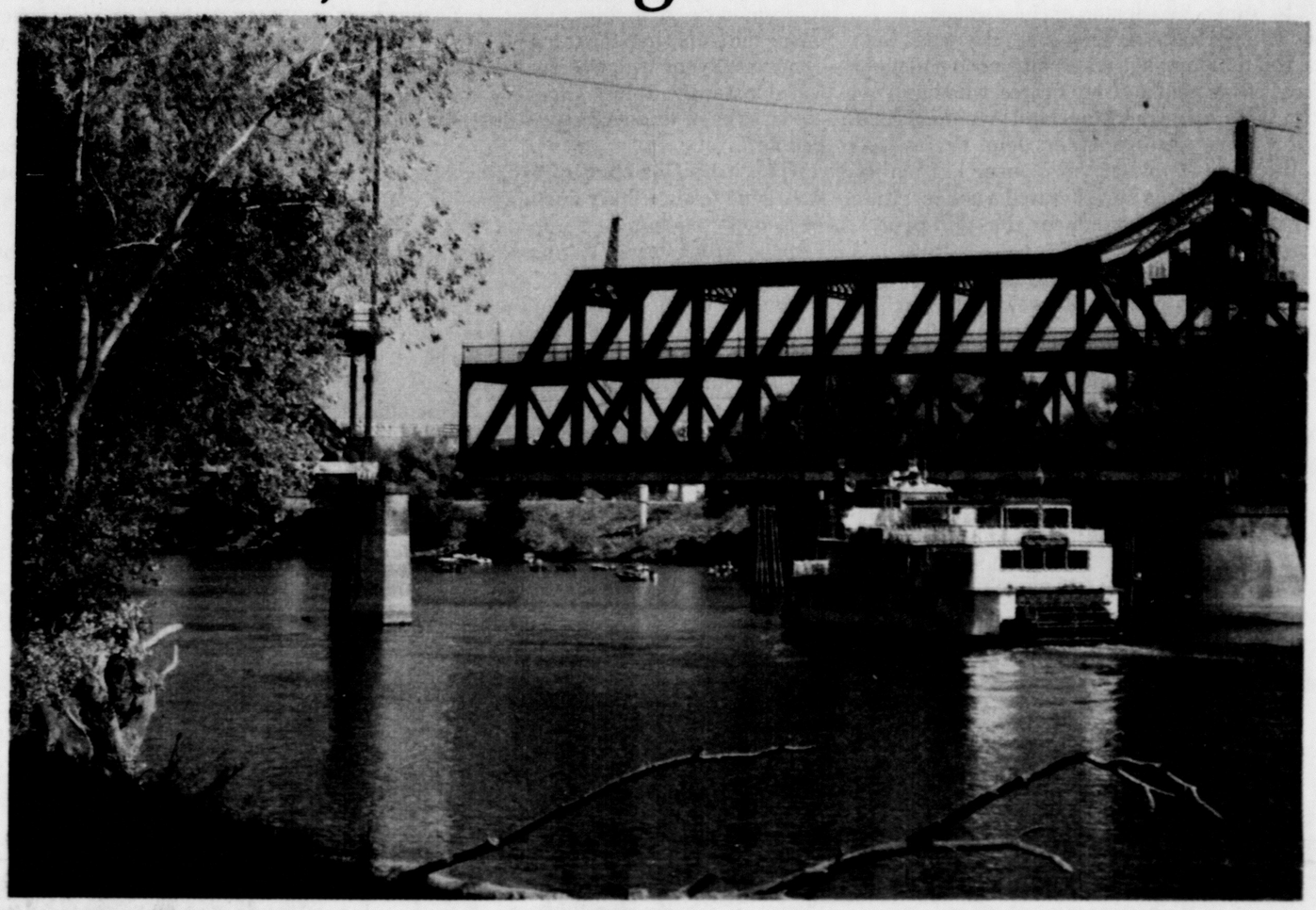
. Jimmie Richardson, 52, died of a gunshot wound to the head on Sunday. Gregory Rowan, 37, was critically injured with a wound to the abdomen. The weapon used appeared to be a 12-gauge shotgun firing "slugs."

The suspects are described as two white males, one with short hair. Their car is described as a faded blue compact or medium-size vehicle.

Police said they did not yet have a motive for the shooting.

Anyone with information is asked to call Det. Chris Christensen or Sgt. Tom Bowler at 372-2461, or West Sacramento Police Communications at 375-6474.

Old boat, old bridge



The I Street Bridge swings open for the 'Spirit of Sacramento,' heading northbound Friday. The scene is viewed from near West Sacramento's 'River Walk' park -- one of the newest developments of the region, and where the city has pinned much of its future. (Photo by Steve Marschke. Note: this is the first color photo to appear in this 36-year old publication.)

High school slips, others post some gains in school tests

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

Washington Unified School District campuses showed slight overall improvement among individually mixed results, as the state education department released its API scores last week.

The scores are a numerical ranking of how schools performed on the standardized "STAR 9" student tests, with factors such as socioeconomic class and ethnicity of students mixed in. With possible scores of 200 to 1000, the state has set an "800" point target for each school. Under-performing campuses are mandated to improve each year by five percent – or face sanctions or a loss of control to the state.

In addition to meeting these goals, schools also must meet performance goals for test scores of subgroups such as ethnic groups. Schools designated as "underperforming," such as River City High School, Bryte Elementary and Alyce Norman Elementary, become eligible for a $50,000 planning grant.

"I think we're pleased with

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911 phones

From Gary Rios, Div. Chief
West Sac. Fire Dept.

The West Sacramento Fire Department has installed emergency "911" phones in front of

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Anti-mudslinging policy, etc.

It's election season again, and time for a reminder to all candidates and political activists about the *News-Ledger's* campaign season policies.

Firstly, the final issue we publish before the election is on Nov. 1. The *News-Ledger* will not accept advertisements or "letters to the editor" intended for that publication date which include negative comments made about any candidate or ballot issue, since anyone targeted in such a manner won't have a chance to respond before the vote.

This policy will be interpreted broadly! If you have anything negative to say, bear in mind that our normal policies – which allow most kinds of political criticisms – are in effect through Oct. 25.

Secondly, for reasons of fairness, all political ads must be prepaid and no discounts are given for political ads. Requests for page position will be given on a first-paid, first-served basis, although page layout also involves other factors as well.

Call 371-8030 with any questions.

JEFF HENRY: running for West Sac City Council

By Steve Marschke
News-Ledger Editor

"I was born in a little town like West Sacramento," said Jeff Henry, explaining why he is running for city council here. "It had a main street and little shops, and was about 21 miles out of Portland. You could walk to school, and you knew everybody – just like here. Well, they paved it all the way to Portland. It was obliterated. The whole downtown section I grew up with just died.

"We're on the brink of doing the same thing here. We're going to develop the new suburbs and continue to let the existing neighborhoods just go away. I watched that once when I couldn't do anything about it, but I don't want to see it happen here."

Henry, 37, has made a concern for existing neighborhoods a keynote of his election campaign. He has lived in West Sacramento for 18 years, and visited a lot during his youth.

"My uncle and his family grew up here, and I spent a lot of time back and forth to Broderick while I was growing up," he said.

Henry now works as a project manager for a construction company. Political involvement started some time ago.

"I started getting involved with the homeowners' association at Touchstone Estates," he related. "I got invited (by city council member Greg Potnick) to serve on the economic development advisory commission. While I was serving there as vice president, I got moved over to the planning commission."

Henry's wife, Susan, has served on the city's planning commission. Married for 12 years, the couple has a daughter approaching five years old.

Making West Sacramento a town that handles growth well, without sacrificing "old" neighborhoods in the quest for "new" ones, is what Henry says is his goal.

"If you do it wrong, you get a 'donut' effect," he explained. "For a lot of reasons, it becomes very hard to use the older parts of town. The infrastructure is bad, the streets are too narrow. So you build on the outskirts of town and just keep doing that."

The middle – or "old" part of town then starts to deteriorate and die out.

"I don't think the answer is making it tougher to build in the suburbs," he continued. "The answer is to make it easier to build in the interior. The key is to do it by wanting to revitalize the interior portion of the city, and not to be so easily swayed by the new developments – not to get carried away with new developments."

"It's not as glamorous to rebuild a corner grocery," he added, "as it is to bring in a Walmart. So the real desire doesn't seem to be there."

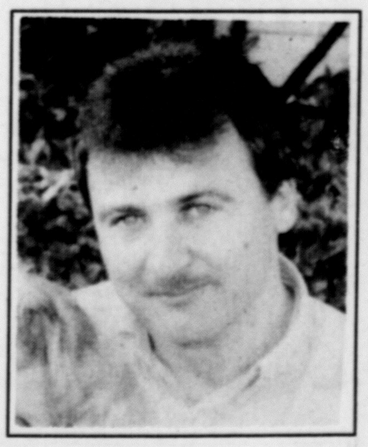
Besides a lack of commitment to fixing the old developments is the bureaucratic headache it entails, Henry said.

"A lot of people don't understand how hard it is to get through the permit process. If you've never been through it, you can't begin to understand. If you've never pulled a building permit, you should not be in charge of legislating how building permits should be issued."

Henry said that the city "should relax standards on older buildings."

"Health and safety issues come first. But there has to be a way to allow people to use a building at the level it was built for, even if the use changes. Fire and health concerns are most important, but after that, it doesn't matter if it doesn't meet some of the new building standards."

Henry related the story of a friend who was trying to renovate a building housing a hair salon.



JEFF HENRY

Candidate for City Council

"He's spent five or six thousand dollars on improvements, and he gets slapped with a city requirement to get an elevator. Last time I checked, an elevator costs about $72,000."

"The city planning commission has made some pretty bold moves (in easing redevelopment of old buildings)," he added. "If we can fix this problem in West Sacramento, anybody can fix it. But if we can't fix simple things like this, we have no business growing."

Henry said that the city as a whole is moving "at a comfortable clip, moving in the right direction for the most part."

"We have, in my estimation, the best fire and police departments anyone could hope for. I would like to see – especially in older neighborhoods like Washington – a return by police officers, back to walking on the streets. These neighborhoods get drive-by visits from the police, but the officers can't know the neighbors as well as they could by walking. I know a couple of people who recently called the police about some drug activity. The police got out of their cars, and when my friends came out to tell them where the problems were, the police drew their guns on them. It's not the fault of the officers, it's just that we've just got to find a way to re-introduce the officers to the neighborhoods."

Henry holds a "tough bargaining" position with Sacramento County concerning the sewage interceptor line it proposes to run through West Sacramento.

"We are going to get the impact of an interceptor going through here, so we have to get the benefit of it. Right now, the benefits do not remotely come close to the impacts. Sacramento has to figure out a way to pay for fundamental improvements in this area. I'm looking for them to pay for infrastructure improvements that we can't afford to pay for ourselves. I know they can do it."

He also advocates a campaign reform measure that would put a limit on the amount any candidate could raise in a run for city council.

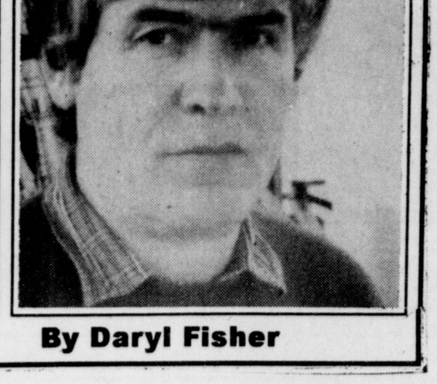
"Place a cap on the total contributions at about $8,000 or $7,000," he suggested. "You really have high enough limit so that you can pay for your core campaign costs, but it would force the candidates to walk the neighborhoods to campaign. It would avoid the massive influx of money from outside, and the last-minute attacks (in campaign mailings)."

Henry joins fellow planning commissioner Oscar Villegas in running for one of three seats on the ballot in November for the city council. Incumbents Mark Montemayor and Bill Kristoff are also running, although incumbent Greg Potnick is not seeking re-election.

A fifth candidate, Roland Hensley, has withdrawn from the campaign, although his name will still appear on the ballot.

Remembering the terrible night the *Leopoldville* sank

Editor's note: Daryl is taking the week off from column writing. Here is one of his very favorites from the past.



By Daryl Fisher

On Christmas Eve, 1944, in five-foot high seas in the English Channel about six miles north of the French city of Cherbourg, a single torpedo from a German U-boat exploded into the starboard aft hold of the crowded Belgium transport ship Leopoldville, which was jam-packed with 2235 Allied reinforcements headed for the Battle of the Bulge.

The crippled ship immediately began taking on water and because of on-shore holiday celebrations, rescue craft were slow in coming to its aid. By the time the Leopoldville finally sank, 400 American soldiers were dead from the initial explosion and subsequent fires, and another 400 were to die from injuries, drowning, and hypothermia from the 48-degree sea water.

The huge loss of life proved extremely embarrassing to the governments of America, France, England, and Belgium, and many families of victims were never fully informed of the details about the Christmas Eve deaths of their sons.

But one person who knows exactly what happened on that long-ago tragic afternoon and night is West Sacramento's Tony Frates, who has lived in the same house on Maryland Avenue for the past 50 years. Tony's father, John Frates, was also the head of one of the pioneer Portuguese families in this area and operated a general store and gas station in Bryte, near the Yolo Bypass, during the 1920s.

The reason Tony is so knowledgeable about one of the worst maritime disasters of World War Two is simple -- he was there.

"My unit had been stationed in Southampton, England for about a month," recalled Tony, "when we suddenly got orders to get on board the Leopoldville and head for France. We didn't know it at the time, but we were needed to help keep thousands of German soldiers pinned down against the sea so they couldn't do any more damage to the invasion forces."

Tony had boarded the Leopoldville early in the morning and it was late-afternoon when the deadly torpedo struck.

"It hit the back end of the ship under the water line," remembered Tony, "and it was a very loud explosion. It was winter time, and it was pretty cold up on deck, so a lot of the guys were down inside the ship when the thing hit. Unfortunately, almost everyone who was near the explosion was killed instantly. It also knocked out all the staircases, so even those who were still alive couldn't get out."

When it became obvious that the Leopoldville was going to sink, Tony and his friends, who had been lucky enough to be up on deck when the torpedo struck, began to go over their options for getting off the ship alive.

"Some of the lifeboats didn't work," said Tony, "and the Belgium crew, which was really made up of a number of different nationalities, were the only ones who knew what to do. Sadly, they were also some of the first people off the ship, so finally everyone just had to decide for themselves what they were going to do. Three of my best friends decided to go down towards where the ship was sinking to try and float one of the remaining lifeboats, but I went up to the front where I thought I might be able to jump on board a British destroyer (the HMS Brilliant) that had tied up alongside us. I tried to get my friends to go with me, but they wouldn't come, and when they did get their lifeboat floated, it ended up getting crushed between the two ships and tragically, all three of them died."

Tony spotted an old rope hanging down from the side of the Leopoldville which had been used to secure a departed lifeboat and quickly grabbed it.

"I decided to use the rope to help me swing from the Leopoldville to the British destroyer," said Tony, "but the choppy seas kept pushing one ship way up and the other one way down. While I waited for my best chance, I made sure the rope was secured real good to the Leopoldville, and then I finally held the rope real tight and swung out as far as I could towards the British destroyer. Even though I was a pretty good swimmer back then, I definitely didn't want to fall down into the water between the two huge ships where so many guys were getting crushed to death. Anyway, I was lucky enough to make it across and as soon as I fell down on the deck of the British destroyer, the crew quickly grabbed me and got me safely down inside the ship."

"At almost the exact time Tony was going through all this," remembered Tony's wife, Mildred, who has been happily married to Tony for more than 50 years, "I was safe at church celebrating the holidays. And he never mentioned it in a single one of his letters, either. I didn't find out about it until he came home almost a year later."

"We were told by our officers not to talk to anyone about it," said Tony, "and it wasn't long before those of us who had survived were given new weapons and equipment and sent right up to the front lines. We dug in on hard, cold, snow-covered ground and we were constantly getting shelled by big German guns, but it was still awfully good to be back on land again."

After the war, Tony returned to West Sacramento and quietly began what turned out to be a very successful 41-year career in printing. He and Mildred have two children, Robert Frates, who is an attorney working in Hayward, and Susan Boucher, who is employed in Stockton by the State of California. Their third child, Jane Marie, died of meningitis at the age of five.

Tony and Mildred also have three grandchildren.

Tony's courage, plus his ability on that long ago Christmas Eve to think clearly and act decisively, saved his life. And as he modestly explained to me in so many words, "Heroes aren't made in heaven, they are just cornered somewhere on earth."

***Note:** To date, the Grace K. Ohlson Scholarship Fund has received 80 donations for a total of $6,200. The goal is to raise a $10,000 endowment, with the interest earnings being used to support a $500 annual scholarship for Washington Unified School District graduates who plan on attending a college in the Los Rios Community College system. Anyone who would like to make a contribution to the fund can do so by making a check payable to the Grace K. Ohlson Scholarship Fund, C/O the News-Ledger, PO Box 463, West Sacramento, CA 95691.*

For more information about the fund, please feel free to call Daryl or Steve at the News-Ledger, 371-8030. And thanks to all of you who have already contributed!

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SPORTS INSIDER: West Sac's Jorrin honored for triumph

By Richard Novoa

On Sunday, October 8th the potential Bay Area World Series took a nasty turn off the Bay Bridge with the Giants 4-0 loss to the Mets and the A's heartbreaking 7-5 loss to the mighty Yankees. Now it could be New York - New York!

The Giants won the first game of the best of five series but couldn't recover from Armando Rios's base running blunder in game two especially after J.T. Snow's three-run homer tied the game in the bottom of the ninth.

The Giants ended up losing the game 5-4 in extra innings and the momentum for the rest of the series. Another turning point in the series was when Giants manager, Dusty Baker, decided not to pinch hit for pitcher Mark Gardner in the top of the fifth inning in the fourth game. The Giants were trailing the Mets 2-0 and had the bases loaded with two outs when Baker decided to let his pitcher bat. Gardner, a .142 hitter, popped out to end the inning and then blew up in the bottom of fifth allowing the Mets to score two more runs before being removed from the game. Baker could have sent a pinch hitter to the plate to force the Mets to either allow Bobby Jones to pitch to a left handed pinch hitter or go to the bull pen for a pitching change. Jones ended up finishing off the Giants with a one hit shut out.

The rest is baseball history!

The Mets ended up taking three out of four from the Giants in the division series and will now tangle with the Cardinals (5 p.m.- ch.3) in the best of seven series that starts on Wednesday night in St. Louis. The Cardinals have a good team but I like the Mets spunk and chemistry.

The Mets will win in six games!

The Oakland A's took the defending World Champion Yankees to the limit losing the series in five games. The youngsters with Oakland battled the veterans from New York down to the wire. The Yankees jumped on Gil Heredia for six runs in the first inning of game five and coasted to a 7-5 win and a best of seven dates with the Seattle Mariners starting on Tuesday, Oct. 10th in New York. The Yankees experience may be to much for the Mariners to handle - the Yankees in seven games!

The San Francisco 49ers and the Oakland Raiders may have played the NFL's game of the year last Sunday at 3 Com Park. The Raiders beat the 49ers 34-28 in an exciting over time victory before 68,000 Bay Area football fans. The Niners quarterback Jeff Garcia, rallied the Niners to a tie after trailing the Raiders 28-14 going into the final quarter. Both teams had their chances to win the game with field goals in the overtime period but the Raiders missed their attempt while the Niners had their chip shot blocked from the 16-yard line. Garcia had another outstanding game for the Niners throwing for four touchdowns while Raiders QB, Rich Gannon, enjoyed another fine performance in leading the Oakland to a game-winning touchdown to Tim Brown in the closing minutes of the overtime period.

Next up for the 49ers is a visit to Green Bay (1:15 p.m.-FOX) while the first place Raiders travel to their arch-rival Kansas City Chiefs (10:00 a.m.- ch.13).

Last week my NFL picks resembled my bay area sports week - three losses! My record dropped (8 wins, 10 losses) like an anchor in the ice-cold San Francisco bay. This week I like the Rams (-17) coming off a bye week to play the Falcons at home and the new Steelers (-8) at home against the Bengals. On Monday night take the Titans (-4) against the struggling Jaguars in Tennessee.

A crowd of little over 200 boxing fans and relatives celebrated with Willie Jorrin last Friday at the I.L.W.U. Hall in West Sac. as the City of West Sacramento declared Oct. 6, 2000 - "Willie Jorrin Day" to honor his World Boxing Council - Super Bantamweight (122 lbs.) victory over Michael Brodie in Manchester, England. West Sacramento city councilmen Bill Kristoff and Mark Montemajor presented Jorrin with a beautiful plaque and a city proclamation to honor and recognize Jorrin outstanding achievement. West Sacramento has a World Boxing Champion!

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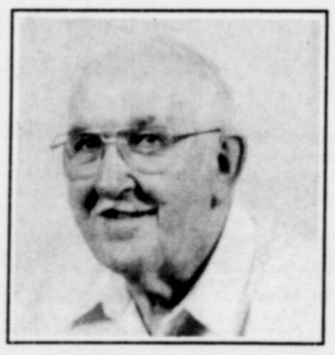
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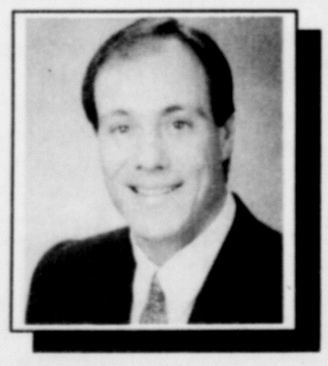
Sports Quiz
by Chris Richcreek

1. Which three players collected 3,000 hits and 500 homers during their career?
2. Who was the first National League player to hit home runs from both sides of the plate in the same inning?
3. How many times was a quarterback the No. 1 overall pick in the NFL Draft during the '90s?
4. Who was the only collegiate player on the U.S. men's basketball "Dream Team" squad in the 1992 Olympics?
5. In what year did the San Jose Sharks begin play in the NHL?
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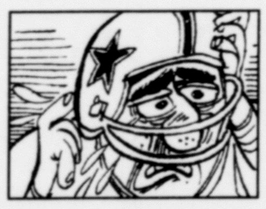
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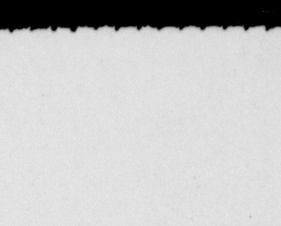


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A girl in northern Ethiopia carrying fodder for animals. During the three-year long drought, thousands of animals have died from lack of water and food.

(NAPS)—Sometimes a particular disaster somewhere in the world receives so much attention that other problems go unnoticed. During much of 1999, for example, the focus on Kosovo left emergency needs elsewhere largely overlooked.

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4. Ethiopia. A three-year drought threatens at least eight million Ethiopians. An equal number of people in neighboring Kenya, Somalia and Eritrea are affected. Compounding the problem is the war between Ethiopia and Eritrea, with 350,000 civilians displaced.

5. Somalia. Strife among rival clans, unemployment, repeated floods, crop failures and a disastrous drought have worsened living conditions throughout the country.

6. Kenya. A severe drought has caused famine throughout the country. In the Turkana district alone, thousands face starvation.

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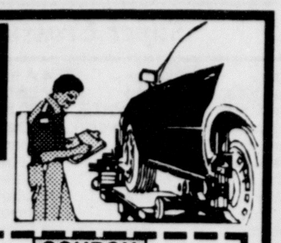
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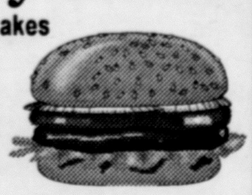
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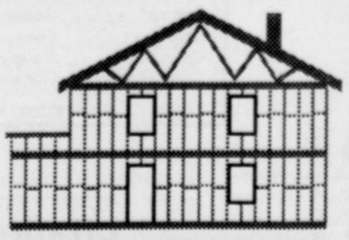
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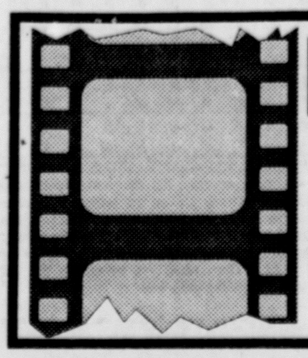
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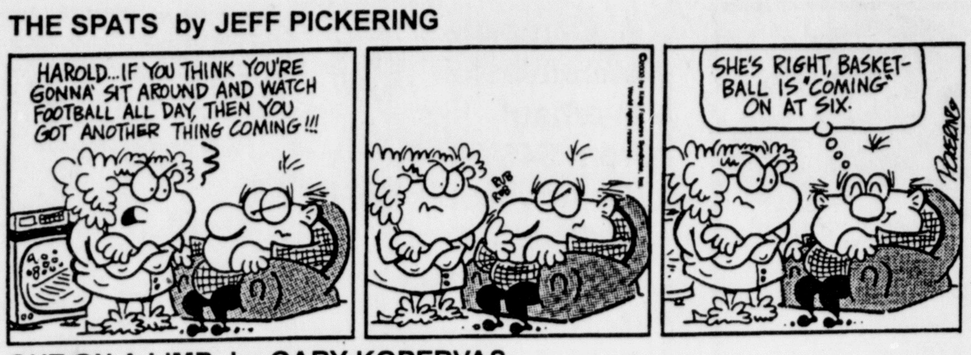
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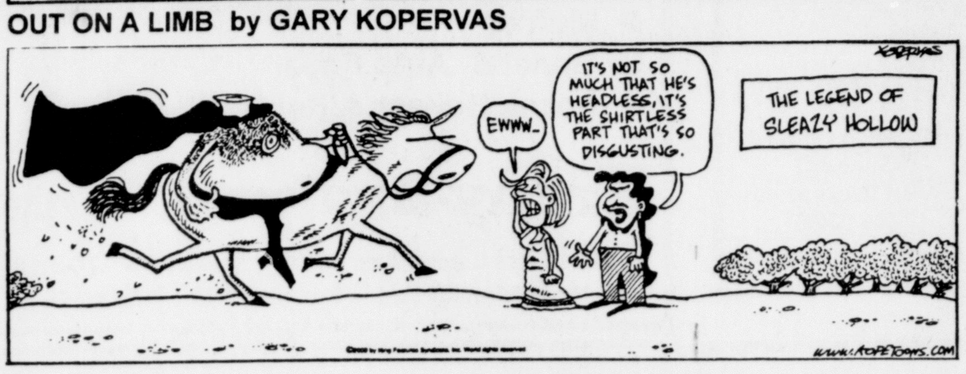
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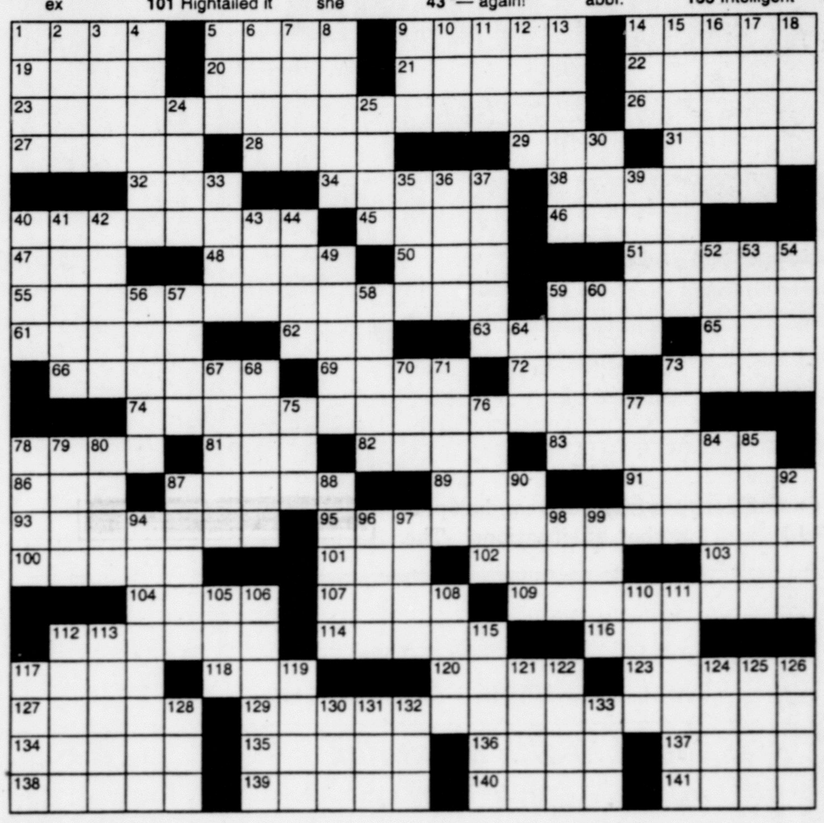


For answers, please see the box on the back page.

Super Crossword

ACROSS
1 Actor Postlethwaite
5 Amonasro's daughter
9 Tracking tool
14 Looked like Lothario?
19 Sore
20 Hose problem
21 Lissome
22 Uccello or Veronese
23 Eugene O'Neill drama
26 Hangs tinsel
27 British astronomer
28 Cipher
29 Baby shark
31 Manumit
32 Ike's domain
34 Nom de crime?
38 More delicate
40 "Rawhide" and "Gunsmoke"
45 — Flynn Boyle
46 Hoffmann creation
47 "Ab —" (from the start)
48 Sock spot
50 Bar supply
51 George Hamilton's ex
55 Roger Miller tune
59 Joseph Conrad novel
61 Steep slope
62 With 25 Down, successful
63 Steeple part
65 "Stroker —" ('83 film)
66 Musical chords
69 Skip
72 Rock's — Leppard
73 Spouses no more
74 C.S. Forester book
78 Certain orchestra
81 Baseball stat
82 Ward of "Sisters"
83 Rang
86 Castilian cry
87 Actress Burke
89 Item in a lock
91 Exodus figure
93 Stevie Wonder song
95 Hal Foster comic strip
100 Ponchielli's "Dance of the —"
101 Hightailed it
102 Belfry sound
103 Hog's honey
104 "How sweet —!"
107 React to an allergen
109 "Madame Bovary" author
112 Pepsin or lipase
114 Operetta composer
116 Vane dir.
117 Schwarzenegger's birthplace
118 Dino, to the Flintstones
120 Catherine — -Jones
123 Damocles' dangler
127 "— Gay"
129 Phoebe Cates film
134 Microwave feature
135 Chilling
136 Tombstone lawman
137 Harvest
138 Earthquake
139 Patriot Silas
140 Tare's relative
141 Rochester's missis

DOWN
1 Walkway
2 Resound
3 He and she
4 A hole near the sole
5 Bit part in "Cleopatra"?
6 Singer Foxx
7 Venture
8 Where Athenians assembled
9 Scott's "The — Quartet"
10 Past
11 Clamor
12 Evelyn's brother
13 Upshot
14 Select, with "for"
15 20th President
16 Chateau valley
17 Glue guy
18 Health measure?
24 Dole (out)
25 See 62 Across
30 Ram's remark
33 "Carmina Burana" composer
35 Shakespearean villain
36 Schipa solo
37 Tuneful Tommy
39 Irish county
40 Yan's pans
41 Dislodge
42 Submarine finder
43 "— again!"
44 Manhattan district
49 High-toned guy?
52 Sophoclean tragedy
53 Pleasant
54 Mingo's portrayer
56 Southern staple
57 Colorful fish
58 Harold of "Ghostbusters"
59 Capt.'s subordinate
60 Gluck's "— ed Euridice"
64 Bogus Bach
67 Jacobi of "I, Claudius"
68 Black
70 Cola cooler
71 Raptor feature
73 Chou —
75 In good shape
76 Civil Rights org.
77 Israeli airline
78 Ritzy
79 Hodgepodge
80 Lima's land
84 Work on a crossword?
85 Patron
87 Fresh from the trail
88 Taxing time?
90 Scuba site
92 Package abbr.
94 Pours gently
96 Figure of interest?
97 Move like molasses
98 Kilmer or Bisoglio
99 Word of woe
105 Mischief-maker
106 Trickled
108 Mist
110 "Back in the —" ('68 song)
111 "Watch out!"
112 Cartoonist Bushmiller
113 Campbell or Judd
115 Alarm button
117 Understands
119 "Lemon —" ('65 hit)
121 Obsolete title
122 Lot size
124 Carry out orders
125 Circus sound
126 Waterproofing material
128 Shrug part
130 Private pension
131 Palindromic diarist
132 Artichoke heart?
133 Intelligent



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OPINION

News-Ledger Editorial:

All quiet on the West Sacramento election front

With three weeks until the November election, it's quiet out there. Surprisingly quiet.

The West Sacramento City Council race boils down to four people running for three seats, now that a fifth candidate has withdrawn from the race. The small number of candidates means that most of those running will win. That, combined with the low-key personalities of these candidates and a lack of galvanizing issues, has led to an unexciting campaign thus far.

The candidates are running, to a large degree, in order to be your stewards of current city progress. You would be hard-pressed to find any of them saying that the city is on the wrong track, or that some kind of radical change is needed.

The closest thing to a controversy in the city race is a discussion of whether or not West Sacramento should hook up to Sacramento County's sewage system. While this decision is certainly important – it involves the future of one of the most basic necessities of residents and businesses – it just doesn't attract a lot of passion. And candidates won't have to take a final stand on the issue before the election.

Likewise, the school board race is without big issues or big ideas (one candidate does seek to abolish mandatory homework).

It's widely believed (and agreed upon here) that the last school board and superintendent did not do a good job. Seven people are now running for three seats on the next board, which will begin service in January. Even the two of them who are incumbents will probably agree that a major goal for the new board is to run more smoothly and professionally than the last one.

The selection of school board candidates still isn't as good as it sounds. All seven candidates are well-meaning, but it is impossible to name three with the education, training, experience and disposition to make good board members. The board badly needs both a professional management approach and ideas for change and improving education; it will not get a large dose of either from the coming election.

West Sacramento residents must content themselves with making the best choices they can in these two races, while organizing themselves and their neighbors into greater civic involvement by the time the next round of local elections rolls around in two years.

Whatever their strengths and weaknesses, the eleven people campaigning for these six local posts at least deserve credit for making a commitment for public office – and that's something that sets them apart from about 30,000 of their neighbors.

Proposition 36: dangerous & misleading

From Congressman Doug Ose
3rd Congressional District

In November, the voters of California will be asked to make a decision about the most pressing local and state issue confronting us: how do we reduce or eliminate the drug problem that so terribly disrupts our families and our communities? Specifically, voters must decide whether to vote yes or no on Proposition 36.

Proposition 36 would essentially decriminalize the possession, use and transportation of drugs such as heroin, PCP, methamphetamine, crack cocaine, and even date rape drugs like GHB, allowing those caught possessing "date rape" drugs to go to a treatment program.

Proposition 36 was put on the ballot by three wealthy backers whose real agenda is to decriminalize drugs. None of these individuals are medical doctors. None are drug treatment professionals who know and understand how to treat addictions. None of them are judges or law enforcement personnel. In fact, none of them even lives in California.

The most devastating thing about Proposition 36 is that it does nothing to address the need for additional drug treatment for individuals abusing illegal drugs. Instead, Proposition 36 will undermine effective drug treatment programs by making it virtually impossible to hold drug abusers accountable for their actions.

But it's not just misleading, it's dangerous. Contrary to what the proponents want you to believe, Proposition 36 increases the threat to public

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Opposite-sex police searches

From Lt. Ray Hensley
West Sacramento Police Department



Lt. Ray Hensley
West Sac.
Police Dept.

In this article, I would like to address the issue of searches performed by our police officers. The right of a police officer to search a person for weapons exists when he/she feels a threat to his/her safety. This right has been upheld by our highest courts. Equally important is the right of our citizens not to be subjected to unreasonable searches. Our officers are trained to conduct pat-down searches in a number of situations. The primary goal of these searches is to locate weapons to ensure the safety of the subject, the officer and passing citizens. When providing information about searches of the person, the question of opposite sex searches is usually asked. The short answer is "yes", again the courts have upheld the right of a police officer to search members of the opposite sex for weapons (pat-down searches). Our officers are trained to use a specific technique when conducting opposite sex searches. This technique is used to ensure that there is no inappropriate contact. This issue can cause concern for those citizens who are searched; and those citizens who have loved ones who are subjected to these searches.

The West Sacramento Police Department is committed to addressing all concerns of our citizens: and to that end we have instituted a policy that states in effect "whenever possible pat searches will be conducted by members of the department who are of the same sex as the subject to be searched." Again, the intent of this press release is to inform the public that we know you have concerns about pat searches by members of the opposite sex and that we are addressing the issue within the guidelines of the law. Furthermore, we will attempt to have same sex pat-searches conducted whenever possible.

If you have a question about this press release or any other topic, please feel free to call me at (916)372-2461 x-261.

Letters to the Editor

Holiday toy drive

The West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce and the California School Boards Association invite you to participate in their Twelfth Annual West Sacramento Holiday Toy Drive. This annual toy and food drive benefits the less fortunate children and families of West Sacramento.

Each year, as part of our responsibility to be a good corporate neighbor, CSBA distributes toys to thousands of children in West Sacramento in partnership with the West Sacramento Christmas Basket Project. We're inviting our friends, neighboring associations and business associates with a stake in this community to participate with us in this toy drive. A donation in any amount and/or new, unwrapped toys, will go a long way toward making the holidays a little more special for children who might otherwise not receive any gifts.

Checks should be made payable to the California School Boards Foundation (CSBF) and returned in the enclosed postage-paid envelope. Please note on your check that it is for the Toy Drive. CSBF is a tax-exempt nonprofit corporation and all donations are therefore tax deductible. Public donations are combined with donations from CSBA and its employees to purchase new toys for children of all ages. Toys will be distributed by CSBA staff and other volunteers on Friday, December 22, so please return your donations to CSBA by December 198, 2000.

We hope you will join us in this effort. If you have any questions, please call Lisa Kenney (ext. 3006) or Cindy Warfe (ext. 3038) at CSBA, (916) 371-4691.

DAVIS CAMPBELL
President
California School Boards Foundation
DAN RAMOS
President
West Sacramento Chamber of Commerce

Public notices

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed SEP 22, 2000
File No. 2000-733

The following person is doing business as Employment Advisors, 1334 Via Colonna Terrace, Davis, CA 95616:

Lisa Bradley Buehler, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Aug 1, 2000.

/s/Lisa Bradley Buehler

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 27, 2000
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The following person is doing business as Marsh Global Broking Insurance Services, 777 South Figueroa Street, Los Angeles, CA 90017:

Marsh Global Broking Inc., Incorp. in Illinois, 1166 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10036.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/27/00.

/s/Berry W. Furst, Secretary
Marsh Global Broking Inc.

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The following person is doing business as H.I.I.P.I. Insurance Services, 777 South Figueroa Street, Los Angeles, CA 90017:

Marsh USA Inc., incorp. in Delaware, 1166 Avenue of the Americas, New York NY 10036.

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/s/Mark J. Dallara
Assistant Secretary
Marsh USA Inc.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
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File No. 2000-584

The following person is doing business as DuPar and Angel Manufactured Housing, 2532 Santa Rosa Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95404:

Pacific Homes Sales, Inc., a California Corporation, 717 Lido Park Drive, Suite B, Newport Beach, CA 92663; Visalia Trailer Sales, a California Corporation, 6801 Avenue 304, Visalia, CA 93291; DuPar and Angel, Inc., a California Corporation, 2532 Santa Rosa Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95404; DuPar and Angel Group, Inc., a California Corporation, 2532 Santa Rosa Avenue, Santa Rosa, CA 95404.

This business is conducted by a General Partnership. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 29, 2000.

/s/George Bravante
Vice President
Pacific Home Sales, Inc.
/s/George Bravante
President
Visalia Trailer Sales
/s/Robert Angel
Secretary & Treasurer
DuPar and Angel, Inc.
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
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File No. 2000-707

The following person is doing business as Specialized Orthopedic Surgeons, 635 Anderson Rd., Suite 18, Davis CA 95616:

Jeffry Metheny, 1124 Westfield Terrace, Davis CA 95616; Elise R. Smith-Hoefer, 33 College Park, Davis CA 95616.

This business is conducted by Co-Partners. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/11/00.

/s/Elise R. Smith-Hoefer

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 11, 2000
File No. 2000-632

The following person is doing business as Edsten Brewing Company, 8 W. Kentucky Ave., Woodland CA 95695:

Edward James Edsten, 519 E 8th St. #4, Davis CA 95616.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/01/00.

/s/Edward James Edsten

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 18, 2000
File No. 2000-715

The following person is doing business as Green Dreams, Inc., 4563 Beck Lane, Vacaville CA 95688:

Apodaca's Green Dreams, Inc., a Calif. Corporation, mailing address PO Box 2207, Vacaville, CA 95696.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Aug 4, 2000.

/s/Richard M. Apodaca, President
Apodaca's Green Dreams, Inc.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
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File No. 2000-721

The following person is doing business as Flyers #72, 1401 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

T.A. Dwelle, Inc., a California Corporation; 22968 Sunset Ridge, Auburn, CA 95602; S.B. Dwelle, Inc., a California Corporation, 3408 Border Links, Visalia, CA 93291; W.A. Dwelle, Inc., a California Corporation, 2912 Keogh Road, Visalia, CA 93291; D.A. Dwelle, Inc., a California Corporation, 147 Palm Ave., Auburn, CA 95603.

This business is conducted by a Joint Venture. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/1/00.

/s/T.A. Dwelle

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
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File No. 2000-722

The following person is doing business as Flyers #73, 2816 West Capitol Ave., West Sacramento CA 95691:

T.A. Dwelle, Inc., a California Corporation; 22968 Sunset Ridge, Auburn, CA 95602; S.B. Dwelle, Inc., a California Corporation, 3408 Border Links, Visalia, CA 93291; W.A. Dwelle, Inc., a California Corporation, 2912 Keogh Road, Visalia, CA 93291; D.A. Dwelle, Inc., a California Corporation, 147 Palm Ave., Auburn, CA 95603.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
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File No. 2000-719

The following person is doing business as Marsh Utah Risk & Insurance Services, c/o CT Corp., 818 West Seventh St., LA CA 90017:

Marsh USA Inc., 60 East South Temple, Salt Lake City, UT 84111.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9-19-00.

/s/Mark J. Dallara, Asst. Secretary
Marsh USA, Inc.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 13, 2000
File No. 2000-711

The following person is doing business as PM Truck Repair, Inc., 3740 Commerce Dr., West Sacramento, CA 95691:

Paul Davis, 4850 South River Rd., West Sacramento CA 95691; Linda Davis, 4850 South River Rd., West Sacramento, CA 95691; Jamie Davis, 2949 Janet Dr., West Sacramento, CA 95691.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9/13/00.

/s/ President
PM Truck Repair Inc.

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 5, 2000
File No. 2000-694

The following person is doing business as The Shanty, 800 Main St., Woodland CA 95695:

Brenda Ann Johnson and Joyce Lee Johnson, 1305 Van Buren Pl., Woodland CA 95776.

This business is conducted by Co-Partners. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Sept 1, 2000.

/s/Brenda Ann Johnson
/s/Joyce Lee Johnson

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WASHINGTON NEWS ITEMS

The Sacramento River registered four feet three inches, United States gauge at the Southern Pacific bridge yesterday. This reading was taken at high tide but is the highest reading this year so far since early last spring.

The California Co-operation Crop Reporting Service sends out word dated October 27 on the subject of alfalfa seed which should be interesting to farmers intending to plant. It reads:

A survey of the alfalfa seed production for California in 1924 indicates about 50,000 bushels, equivalent to 1,500 tons of seed produced from 12,000 acres harvested.. This production is a little less than during a normal year but greater than last year both as to acreage harvested and yield per acre. In 1923, 37,000 bushels were produced from 11,000 acres.

Production of alfalfa seed in California is in some areas a regular cropping practice, while in others it is rather a catch crop and not followed each year. Alfalfa grown under semi-droughty conditions often sets more seed than where the moisture supply is abundant. For this reason it might have been expected that during the present year more than the usual amount of alfalfa seed would have been produced in California. This belief is borne out from the standpoint of production per acre as the estimated yield of 4.2 bushels is about 123 per cent of a normal yield per acre. However, the shortage of pasture feeds induced farmers to cut as much hay as possible. The area harvested this year is estimated to be 12,000 acres which is 110 per cent of the 1923 harvested acreage, but only about 80 per cent of the acreage normally harvested in the state.

It is reasonable, however, to expect that the normal acreage in seed producing localities may decline as other special field crops are found to be profitable and as dairying expands in alfalfa districts. Also, the acreage of alfalfa seed harvested from year to year is extremely variable due to the fact that the pollination of the alfalfa flower is so acutely influenced by climatic and moisture conditions. The grower always has the safe option of making a hay crop if the early seed set does not indicate a profitable seed yield.

In the northern mountain valleys of the state where hardy Chilean (common) alfalfa seed is grown extensively there was probably more than three times as much seed produced as in 1923. This was due mainly to the excessive grasshopper damage experienced in 1923 which was much less severe this season. Yields were also good in the southern counties where a part of the seed produced is of the Hairy Peruvian variety.

United States

The production of alfalfa seed for important producing states and the entire United States is estimated by the United States crop reporting board in bushels as follows: South Dakota, 4,000; Nebraska, 22,000; Kansas, 31,000; Oklahoma, 8,000; Colorado, 23,000; Idaho, 15,000; Montana, 6,000; Wyoming, 12,000; Utah, 70,000; New Mexico, 8,000; Arizona, 50,000; California, 50,000; and the entire United States, 299,000.

The total production for the United States is fully one-third greater than last year, due chiefly to increased acreage harvested. It is believed that thereis much less seed damaged by frost than last year.

A report from the California Co-operative Crop Reporting Service dated November 3 reads:

This report, just released by the California Co-operative Crop Reporting Service summarizes conditions of the past month as follows:

Weather conditions that prevailed during October were in general favorable to agriculture in California. The northern half of the state received sufficient rain to be of much value to pasture, live stock and early sown grains; while in the southern half of the state the rainfall was lighter and more scattered.

The seasonal precipitation to date in Northern California is above normal. Pasture grasses were started by early October rains which were followed by good growing weather. Additional rains during the latter part of the month have greatly improved pasture conditions in this section compared with a month ago. Live stock shows very little change in condition as yet. Rainfall is generally below normal in the southern half of the state.

Early sown grains in the Sacramento Valley have germinated and are growing nicely under favorable conditions. Much more plowing and seeding is now in progress. Throughout the southern half of the state a small percentage of the grain land has as yet been seeded.

Property owners along the river in the West Sacramento district are taking steps to protect the levee during the coming winter season from any high water that may come along. A great deal of brush is being cut and any large trees that have grown on the river slope of the levee are being topped to permit the cutting to fall on the outside of the levee, but yet being held to the root of the tree by a small section that is not sawed off entirely. Erosion by a swift current will be prevented in this way. Some of the farmers have already completed the work and some more are about to start it. The West Sacramento reclamation district is about to start work in the near future leveling and grading the levee along the river as far south as River View. During the summer season the old levee, or as it is known, the inside levee, is being used for a roadway which is all right for the summer season, but during the winter season the higher levee, that on the outside, would be much better for a roadway. Possibly an improved road may be provided on this levee with the election of a new supervisor.

Judge Barry is rejoicing over the fact that not a single case has been before his court for over a week, not even a drug fiend. Any serious cases, such as gambling charges or bootlegging charges, are being taken to Woodland for trial so that the county seat gets the coin from the malcontents of this section of the county. Judge Barry is rejoicing over the fact that the county authorities are lightening his load of heavy work in the administration of justice but it would seem that there is some sinister purpose underneath this transfer of cases from the local justice court to the justice court in Woodland.

Mrs. Cora Boathouse of Rawlins, Nev., is visiting her brother, Lee Russell.

Lew Nelson and son of Eureka are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Egan.

Lucile Shoemaker is ill at her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hildebrandt of Confidence, Tuolumne County, who have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Hart, have returned home. They will make a stop in Fresno.

District Attorney George Kern was here last Friday from Woodland to transact business.

Miss Margaret Dupzyk last Friday night entertained twenty young people at her home with a Hallowe'en party. The evening was spent in games and music and refreshments were served. The Dupzyk home was decorated in keeping with the Hallowe'en spirit.

COOLIDGE WINS IN YOLO COUNTY BY A SMALL MARGIN

Although Washington returned a substantial majority for La Follette last Tuesday in the presidential election, the vote registered throughout Yolo County gave Coolidge a good lead over both his opponents, Davis and La Follette.

The total returns showed Coolidge, 2473; La Follette, 2089; Davis, 803.

The ten precincts that favored La Follette were Cacheville, three precincts in Woodland, Knights Landing No. 2, Winters No. 1, Davis No. 1, Riverbank, North and South Washington.

Woodland No. 10 gave Coolidge his biggest majority, the vote in that Republican stronghold being 100 for the president and 32 for his opponent.

Riverbank, North Washington and South Washington piled up majorities for La Follette in this wise:

Riverbank, 129 to 75; North Washing, 135 to 49; and South Washington, 152 to 52.

Over at Cacheville La Follette polled 20 more votes than Coolidge, the count showing 97 to 77 in the senator's favor.

It was a neck and neck race at Knights Landing, with Coolidge scoring only 5 more votes than La Follette. The finals were 93 to 88.

As was to be expected, Davis failed to carry a single Yolo County precinct. North Winters, a hot-bed for good old-fashioned Democrats, remained true to the Davis banner and gave him his biggest precinct vote in the county. Forty-four ballots were counted for Davis.

WASINGTON SCHOOL HAS ATTENDANCE OF 278 PUPILS

Washington, Oct. 31.—A report has been filed with the board of trustees of the Washington school by Principal Charles Coupe showing that the average daily attendance of the school is 278 children. Of this number, thirty-seven are transported from West Sacramento and from Carly Acres.

No Rowdyism or Rough Work Was Noted in First Supervisor District Although Rivalry Was Very Keen

At the election last Tuesday public interest centered itself almost exclusively in the supervisorial contest between H. B. Buckingham and E. P. Smith.

As a matter of fact, Coolidge and Dawes and Davis and Bryan and La Follette and Wheeler were almost forgotten during the day because of the write-in campaign started by E. P. Smith in an effort to defeat H. B. Buckingham.

Buckingham had defeated two formidable opponents at the primary election August 26th, W. E. M. Beardslee and Eli Fourness. He deemed his fight won until Mr. Smith got into the race in a write-in campaign and it was then that public interest became centered in the contest.

In the short time during which Smith was making a campaign he surely made himself felt and many of his supporters even believed that he might win last Tuesday.

But, alas, the vote registered for Buckingham was so heavy that it was just about three to one in favor of him.

Buckingham was the general favorite in his home town, Washington, where most of the registered votes of the district are recorded. To prove this it might be said that the returns from the town of Washington in Smith's favor were only 33 as against Buckingham's 475.

In one precinct of the first supervisor district of Yolo County Smith succeeded in obtaining a majority, namely Clarksburg, where the count showed that Smith polled 110 against 99 for Buckingham.

The tabulated statement is as follows:

North Washington—	
Buckingham	226
Smith	12
South Washington—	
Buckingham	249
Smith	21
South Putah—	
Buckingham	17
Smith	6
Riverbank—	
Buckingham	137
Smith	93
Clarksburg—	
Buckingham	99
Smith	110
Totals—	
Buckingham	728
Smith	242
Buckingham majority, 486.	

This shows a little over three to one in favor of Buckingham.

There seems no doubt that had Smith been in the race at the primary election he would have made a much better showing at the finals, but having failed to make a showing at the primary election, he was badly beaten at the finals.

During the election last Tuesday only one complaint was heard from any precinct, namely, one registered at Riverbank, where a lady was campaigning within 100 feet of the polls. When notified to get outside the limit, she made no objection, but continued to campaign for Mr. Smith.

The returns throughout the county on the presidential candidate were as follows:

Precinct—	Coolidge.	La Fol.	Davis.
Cacheville	77	97	28
Guinda	72	68	13
Capay	68	52	25
Esparto	70	56	35
Madison	98	84	22
West Woodland 1	53	45	24
West Woodland 2	90	59	23
East Woodland 1	77	50	16
East Woodland 2	65	51	25
Woodland 1	47	51	16
Woodland 2	79	34	27
Woodland 3	69	70	29
Woodland 4	53	73	23
Woodland 5	60	54	19
Woodland 6	71	52	25
Woodland 7	80	30	20
Woodland 8	47	35	15
Woodland 9	112	62	28
Woodland 10	100	32	37
Woodland 11	87	42	22
Knights Land'g 1	52	27	15
Knights Land'g 2	41	61	11
Dunnigan	54	29	15
Blacks	51	44	17
Winters 1	44	57	24
Winters 2	52	54	29
North Winters	85	48	44
Davis No. 1	64	67	25
Davis No. 2	139	66	23
West Davis	58	28	11
East Davis	30	24	12
South Putah	13	6	4
Riverbank	75	129	16
N. Washington	49	135	30
S. Washington	52	125	37
Clarksburg	139	65	18
Totals	2473	2089	803

AUTO CAMP OWNERS OF STATE TO MEET IN SACRAMENTO

Joe Pereira of Washington, and owner of the West Sacramento auto camp, has been making an endeavor during the past three weeks to bring the auto camp owners of the state together in an effort to improve conditions in all camps for fourists who desire to travel in that manner.

Pereira has the backing and support of the chamber of commerce of Sacramento and letters have been sent out by the chamber to all auto camp owners requesting that they meet on November 15th or some date near that time to consider matters.

The letter sent out by the chamber of commerce specifies as follows:

"The one crying need in California today is to elevate the standards of automobile camps. With half of the world on wheels, it behooves every community to look well to the comfort and convenience of the motor tourist. We in our work the past five years have followed the well known fundamental that visitors ultimately spell the development of every community. They come first to see, and while here have opportunity to investigate business advantages, enjoy favorable climate and familiarize themselves with our agricultural resources and natural resources to be capitalized upon.

"We want to aid yourself and Mr. Pereira in every way in helping you to promote this convention, and aid you with the preparation of a program that will be worth while.

"Sacramento, California's capital city, is the 'Convention City of the Golden West,' and we want to cordially invite you to hold your convention here. If you elect to bring your gathering here, it will be our privilege to place at your disposal suitable convention halls in the Chamber of Commerce building for the holding of your convention. We will not only be glad to furnish you with other convention facilities, but will aid you in the preparation of an interesting and educational program that will make the delegates attending the convention feel that the convention was of immense benefit to them.

"The writer has just finished up with the third annual resort conference. This conference calls together the 450 resort owners north of the Tehachapi, that they may gather together once a year to become better acquainted, attend educational departmentals that have to do with efficiency and economy measures and have opportunity for an interchange of ideas. I am enclosing a copy of the resort owners' conference program, believing that you may be interested in some of the subjects discussed.

"We should, indeed, be very glad to hear from you and trust that you will choose Sacramento as your gath-

Have the jungles of Sacramento been cleaned up?

A promise was made by the authorities some few weeks ago that the inhabitants of the jungles were to be driven out.

What's a good man going to do?

MEDICAL IMPROVEMENT SOCIETY GIVES NOTICE

The Yolo County Society for Medical Improvement issued notice as follows:

"All patients will be charged regular office visits for smallpox and diphtheria prophylactic measures except in indigent cases, which are to be handled by the county health officer with the assistance of the local members of the society."

The above notice has been ordered published in all papers in Yolo and Colusa counties.

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HOLLAND LAND PAYS FOR ITSELF QUICKLY

Clarksburg, Nov. 5.—Thirty-six tons of sugar beets to the acre averaged over a field of 50 acres is the record established this season by F. S. King on the Holland Land company subdivision west of here. At present prices of sugar this figures a return of $375 an acre. Of the many big sugar beet crops in the $1,000,000 harvest in the district, this represents the banner yield.

TOWNSITE WELL NOW SUNK TO MORE THAN 200 FEET IN DEPTH

The large well being driven in West Sacramento townsite has been sunk to a depth of more than 200 feet by Contractor Brand.

The final depth of this well will be between 700 and 800 feet and it is intended that the well will supply a plentiful and continuous supply of clear, portable and serviceable water for the community.

Two shifts of men are at work and several stratas have already been passed through, some giving a plentiful supply of water, but it being the intention to get the best available, the sinking will continue to the depth above mentioned.

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Police log

Oct. 6, 7:40 a.m.
A suspect threw a large chunk of asphalt through the window of a car parked on West Capitol Ave., and spray painted a window black as well.

Oct. 6, 10:10 a.m.
An Alabama Ave. woman reported that a known suspect took her car without permission.

Oct. 6, 11:45 a.m.
An Oxford St. resident working on his yard broke a gas meter, creating a natural gas leak. Police and fire personnel evacuated nearby residences and Westfield Elementary School. The leak was stopped by PG&E workers a couple of hours later.

Oct. 7, 2:10 p.m.
An officer stopped a 38-year old man riding his bike on the sidewalk. The man had outstanding warrants for his arrest. While being searched, he admitted having marijuana in his pocket. He was arrested. More marijuana was found in his wallet during a booking search.

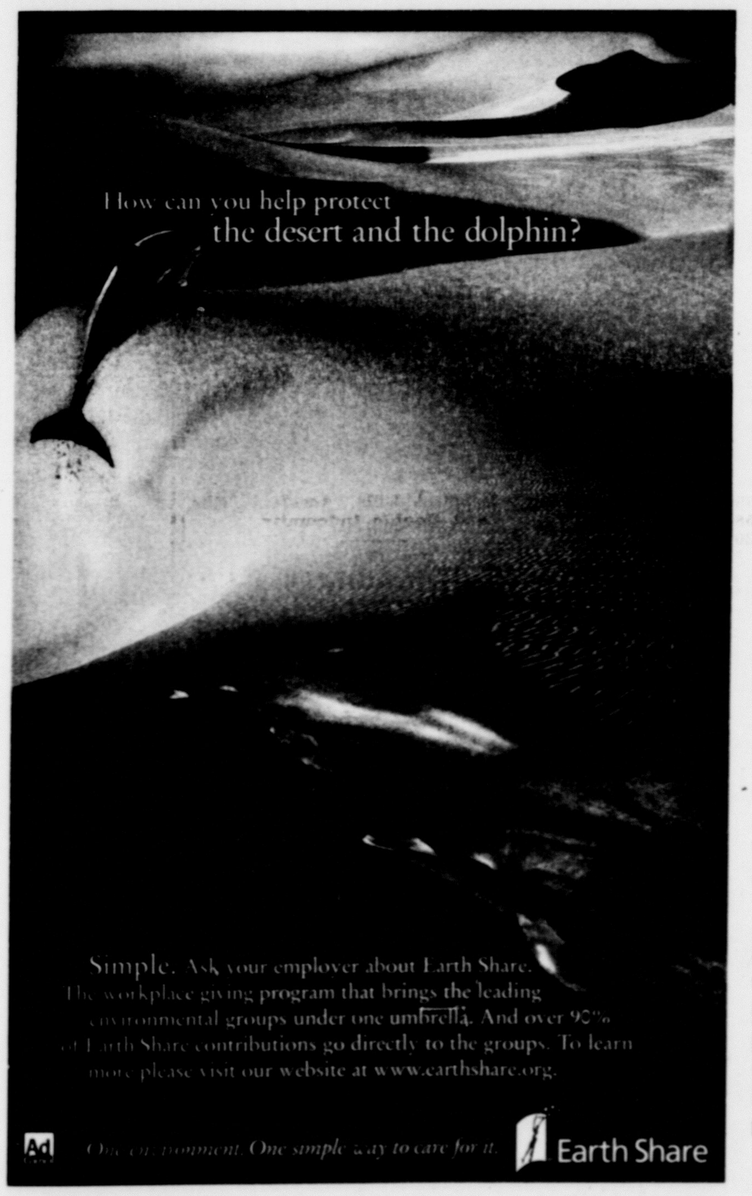
Oct. 7, 3:45 p.m.
A strong-arm robbery occurred at a bowling alley, and a suspect was detained by police in front of a nearby motel. The victim identified the suspect, and $20 was recovered.

Oct. 7, 4:06 p.m.
An officer took a report that an 11-year old girl had gone outside to her mailbox when a man in a pickup truck motioned for her to approach his vehicle. The girl fled back inside, and the suspect left before her family could gain additional information.

Oct. 8, 12:36 a.m.
An officer was dispatched to Hobson Ave. regarding a restraining order violation. He determined that the subject still needed to be served with the order. The subject was located, and a traffic stop was performed. The man was found to be driving under the influence.

Oct. 8, 3:50 p.m.
Police received a report of an unconscious man in a car on Harbor Blvd. An officer found the 43-year old Sacramento man sitting in his car with his head down. A hypodermic needle was found, and a search turned up a small amount of heroin in a pants pocket, and an open container of wine in the car. The man was taken to a hospital for medical clearance and booked.

Oct. 8, 9:20 p.m.
A 39-year old man was arrested for attempting to have sex with a male cohabitant, with whom he had had a dating relationship in the past. The victim refused the advance, and was pinned down, choked and bitten on the finger. The victim escaped and called police.



Youth group returns from trip to Mexico



Sixteen members of the First Baptist Church Youth Group recently returned from a week of ministry in Mexico. The local church young people partnered with Yugo Ministries, a Southern California based organization which connects various church youth groups in the States with small independent churches in Mexico.

The local group was headquartered at Rancho Yugo, about 15 miles south of Tijuana, and each day they would load up their church van and travel ten miles into Rosarito where they would set up their gear and then go out into the nearby streets to recruit children for an afternoon of vacation Bible school.

"The Mexican children would sing songs, play games, do crafts, win prizes, learn Bible verses in Spanish and participate in a week-ending pinata party," explained Gary Clements, the pastor of First Baptist Church. "It was also a great opportunity for our young people to minister, build character, and establish wonderful lasting relationships with one another and the Mexican children. These same young people also ministered in Rosarito last summer and they would like to thank everyone in our church and in West Sacramento who has supported them and helped them raise the needed funds for their travel expenses. And a special thanks to Gloria Dunham of Freddie's Gourmet for the wonderful sandwiches she so generously prepared and supplied for the trip down. They were great!"

News-Ledger Directory of Local Places of Worship

Anna Street Baptist Church
Rev. Norman Pollitt, 371-6560
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11am Worship Service
Wed. 7pm Prayer/Bible Study
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Worship 11am. 372-6570

First Baptist Church
Gary Clements, Pastor
Sun. Worship 9:45am
Sun. eve. fellowship 6pm;
Jr/Sr hi. youth Mon. 6:30pm
Home Bible Studies Tues 7pm
Awana (K-6) Wed. 6:30pm; Boy Scouts (11-18) Thurs. 6:30pm;
Men's Prayer Fllwshp Sat. 8am
1511 Delaware Ave. 371-4061

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Fri. 8:30am

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Books
by Ralph Hollenbeck

The Trumps: Three Generations That Built an Empire, by Gwenda Blair (Simon & Schuster: $30).

It seems as though today's newspaper business pages are constantly hailing another Trump triumph or controversy while the tabloids are often featuring "The Donald" in some romance or another. Yet Donald John Trump is just following in the footsteps of his forebears.

As Gwenda Blair notes in her tome "The Trumps: Three Generations That Built an Empire": "To a family that had already known success, Donald Trump brought more."

One has to wonder how far The Donald would have gone had his father and grandfather not been as acquisitive as they were. His grandfather, for instance, fled a German principality to escape military service, and managed to amass a decent fortune through real estate and the Alaskan Gold Rush of 1900. However, as Blair states, digging for metal was not Friedrich Trump's method. He "mined the miners" via supplies he carted into the goldfields and the food, liquor and women that were dispensed in the hotels he ran in the bustling mining towns.

Trump's father, a more circumspect entrepeneur, built on his father's money and acumen. He developed large areas in the Queens and Brooklyn sections of New York City by utilizing loopholes in federal regulations, cultivating political favors and capitalizing on postwar housing needs. His legacy provided a solid base for the ambitions of his son.

It's Donald, though, who has captured popular imagination with his dramatic real estate moves in New York City, and his dominance of Altantic City casino gambling.

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safety, strips existing drug treatment programs of the ability to hold participants accountable, and undermines the ability of judges to deal directly with the drug abusers who violate our laws, our communities and our children. Proposition 36 isn't about providing effective treatment, it's actually a drug decriminalization statue. A close look at the actual language of the proposal reveals the dangerous impacts buried in its fine print. Voters need to read the actual initiative.

First, none of the taxpayer funds allocated to Proposition 36 can be used for drug testing, despite the fact that professionals in the field insist that drug testing is the single most effective tool for holding individuals accountable when they violate our drug laws.

Second, the proposition excludes providing any funding for drug treatment programs that last longer than 12 months, yet professionals in the field know that drug abuse is a disease that is a lifelong challenge for recovering addicts.

Third, the proposition undermines existing diversion programs, and professionals in the field know that drug courts, with a success rate of over sixty percent, are the most successful judicial program available.

Fourth, the initiative prohibits incarceration for virtually any felon convicted of using or possessing heroin, PCP, crack cocaine, methamphetamine or date rape drugs, even those with previous violent felonies.

One of the committees that I serve on in Congress has jurisdiction over the drug policy of the United States. Our committee has taken testimony on multiple occasions regarding the epidemic of drug abuse. We have visited virtually every corner of the country, including Woodland, California this past spring, regarding the challenges we face with illegal drug manufacturing, transportation and use. I am familiar with the challenges before us.

Our hearings have shown that federal, state and local authorities are committing substantial new resources toward providing treatment for those caught in the hellish downward spiral of drug use. These new programs, based on medical research, offer hope that those who stumble into drug abuse can straighten out their lives and again contribute to our society. We need to let these programs work, rather than replacing them with a risky, unproven and irresponsible proposal.

Proposition 36 is not supported by the medical professionals who deal each day with the consequences of drug abuse. Proposition 36 is not supported by the law enforcement professionals who deal each day with the consequences of drug abuse. Proposition 36 is not supported by judges who deal each day with the consequences of drug abuse. Proposition 36 is not supported by families who have suffered through the drug addiction of a family member. The actual language of Proposition 36 does not correspond to the promises put forth by its sponsors.

Proposition 36 sends the wrong message and will produce disastrous results.

Vote no on Proposition 36.

SCHOOLS from page one

the schools that made their targets," said acting superintendent Patrick Campbell of Washington Unified. "However, whenever schools don't meet their target, we're concerned. And some schools that made their targets, like Elkhorn and Westfield (elementary schools) have a long way to go."

In Washington Unified, Academic Performance Index scores still aren't available for Southport Elementary School or Golden State Middle School. The ethnicity count for Southport and the school lunch program participation program for GSMS have been revised and will affect final API standings which are expected for them in December.

"According to our projections, Southport easily made (the target)," said Campbell. "Golden State more than likely did, but they're right on the border."

Other local schools scored as follows:

Alyce Norman Elementary School improved from a score of 583 in 1999 to a score of 596 in 2000, not meeting its improvement goal and declining in the scores for Hispanic or Latino students. It is not eligible for a cash award from the state this year.

Bryte Elementary School went from 611 points in 1999 to 619 in 2000, failing to meet its improvement target, declining slightly among scores of Hispanic/Latino students, and failing to qualify for a cash award.

Elkhorn Elementary School went from 411 points in 1999 to 475 points in 2000, meeting its overall improvement goal and improving among subgroups as well. The school qualifies for a cash award.

Evergreen Elementary School improved from 522 points on the API in 1999 to 568 points in 2000, meeting its improvement goal both campus-wide and among subgroups, and qualifying for an award.

Westfield Elementary improved from 407 points in 1999 to 496 in 2000, meeting all of its improvement goals and qualifying for a cash award.

Westmore Oaks improved from 660 points last year to 712 this year, and met its other goals as well, qualifying for a grant.

River City High School went from 591 points in 1999 to only 572 points this year, missing its i- improvement goals, declining among some subgroups and failing to qualify for a cash award.

Campbell said the amount of the cash grants has not been announced, but he guessed that qualifying local schools would receive $5,000 apiece. A decision on how to spend the money hasn't been made.

"I think we need to recognize where we met our targets, but the money won't make a lot of difference," he said.

The scores – and how to improve them in the mediocre-scoring district – will be the subject of a school board discussion tomorrow night.

West Sac official cited for work on enterprize zones

The California Enterprise Zone Awards named a number of states enterprise zones, one "manufacturing enhancement area," a target tax area and Antelope College, as well as a City of West Sacramento employee, in its annual honors for innovation and creativity in economic development.

Barbara Brandon Moore, a community services manager and enterprise zone coordinator for the West Sacramento, was singled out for honors. She received a "Sustained Achievement Award" for leadership in the California Association of Enterprise Zone, where she has served as president for four years.

She was also involved, as manager of the West Sacramento Enterprise Zone, with involving businesses such as the United Parcel Service, Raley's, the River Cats, Alling Iron Works and Carro Pacific in enterprise zone credits and deductions.

FIRE from page one

all city fire stations. The phones are a direct line to the county emergency dispatch center.

The telephones and lines were obtained following a grant from the Sierra/Sacramento Valley Emergency Medical Services Authority. The fire department's Crisis Intervention Program, in conjunction with the "Safe Place Program," were responsible for the grant. The two programs provide for temporary shelter for people in a crisis situation.

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Decision on McDonald's delayed

Consideration of a permit for a McDonald's restaurant with a double-lane drive-through at the corner of Jefferson Blvd. and Lake Washington Blvd. in West Sacramento has been postponed. The planning commission last week voted to move the discussion to Oct. 19, following concerns that nearby property owners hadn't been notified of the Oct. 5 hearing.

If approved, the McDonald's will be the first fast-food restaurant in the city's developing southern half.

The location is planned to be in the future "Southport Town Center," which will serve as an "integrated commercial core (to) serve the needs of existing and future residents in the area," according to a city staff report. An architectural theme for the town center was originally planned to be "Mission Revival," with a Spanish-influenced stucco look. But landowners (including those for the planned Nugget Market on Jefferson Blvd. southeast of the Lake Washington intersection) are now discussing using "Central Valley Agricultural" as a theme.

If "Mission Revival" is chosen, planners will recommend the McDonald's restaurant take some architectural cues from the nearby Club Pheasant restaurant – including tan stucco and arched windows.

The planning commission meeting Oct. 19 will take place at 1350 Halyard Dr. at 6 p.m.

Junior Brown headlines West Sacramento's Riverbank Music Fest

By Peter Dollard
Special to the News-Ledger

On the last Saturday evening in September, Junior Brown took the stage at the West Sacramento Riverbank Festival and played country in his own inimitable way. He played extended solos, detuned his guitar intentionally to play certain passages, and in general raised his own form of musical Cain. He will probably never crack the "Top Forty" in Country Music because he breaks all the obligatory dictums of Nashville. To wit, sticking Jimi Hendrix songs in the middle of a country breakdown like "Sugarfoot Rag" and invoking jazz, blues, and rock while he does it.

In this age of "New Country" music, Junior Brown is a delightful anomaly; he plays a form of traditional music that is seldom heard on most country stations. His stage show has no smoke, go-go dancers, or fancy laser lights. The fact that Junior is really a one-man band with a minimal rhythm section is a testament to the man's musical ability.

Junior at one time was a pedal steel guitar player and a lead guitarist but he hated having to go back and forth between the two instruments. One night he dreamed of a combination of steel and lead guitar on one body.

Five years later this epiphany was realized and the first "Guit-Steel" was built. Junior could now play steel guitar and lead almost simultaneously, freeing him from switching instruments. With his wife on rhythm guitar, a bass player, and a percussionist with a snare drum, Junior has the primeval country band.

Of course Junior is also an accomplished songwriter and has a sly sense of humor. One only has to hear "My Wife Thinks You're Dead", the story of a man who wonders into a bar and accidentally encounters an old flame, to see how Junior's mind works. The best part of all this is he knows he will never have the status that the "Young Guns" of Nashville have attained but he perseveres; rolling down the road in his vintage Greyhound bus taking music back to its roots.

Surely his musical legacy will prevail and perhaps at a future festival the riverbanks of the Sacramento River will once again ring with the songs of Jimmy Rogers, Ernest Tubb, and of course, Junior Brown.

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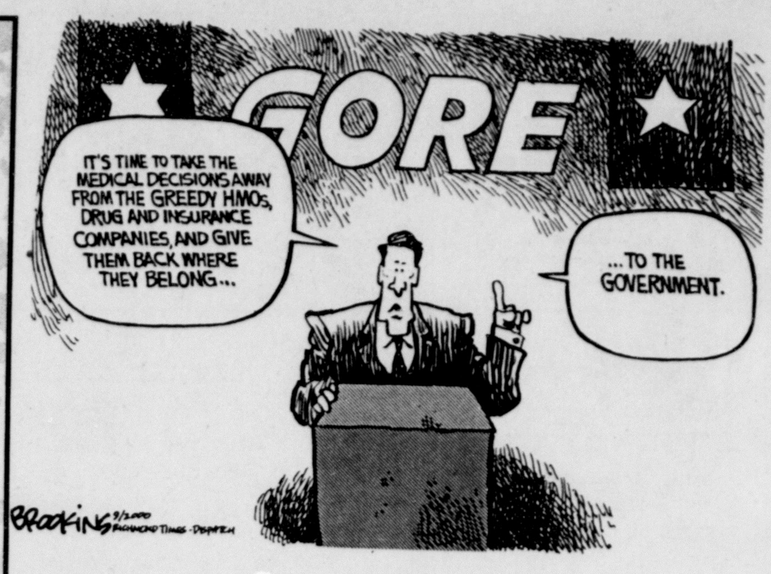
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3:00 - 4:45 p.m. Children's Story Time
3:00 - 5:00 p.m. Adult Wellness Checks—Blood Pressure, Body Fat and Stress
3:00 - 4:30 p.m. Small Business Seminar—Out of the Red and Into the Green: How to Increase Your Cash Flow
3:00 - 4:00 p.m. Everyday Uses of the Internet
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 12, 2000
File No. 2000-709

The following person is doing business as Bucket Brigade Window Cleaning, 1843 White Sands Ln., Davis, CA 95616:

Eric Guida, same address.

This business is conducted by an Individual. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 9-12-00.

/s/Eric Guida

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State of California
County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, Sep 12, 2000
by: /s/K. Weisenburg, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 28, 2000
File No. 2000-673

The following person is doing business as Pizza Guys, 1648 W. Capitol Ave. #B, West Sacramento CA 95691.

WSD Incorporated, a California corp., 1648 W. Capitol Ave., #B, W. Sacramento, CA 95691.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/13/1995. Previous fictitious business name number 95-020 (Superb Pizza; changed dba).

/s/Sivilay Sidara

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County of Yolo
Tony Bernhard, County Clerk
Date: Aug 28, 2000
by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Sep 6, 2000
File No. 2000-696

The following person is doing business as Stewart & Stevenson, 855 Stillwater Road, Sacramento, CA 95691.

Sierra Detroit Diesel Allison, Inc., Incorp. in State of Nevada, 2707 North Loop West, Attn: Legal Department, Houston, TX 77008.

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/s/Lawrence E. Wilson, Vice President
Sierra Detroit Diesel Allison, Inc.

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by: /s/Georgie Tolle, Deputy Clerk
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NOTICE TO ADOPT A NEGATIVE DECLARATION

A Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared for the Triton Mobile Storage Conditional Use Permit. This Mitigated Negative Declaration has been prepared to address the potential environmental impacts of the rental, sales and storage of steel containers proposed to be located at 975 "F" Street in West Sacramento. The Mitigated Negative Declaration concludes that with the implementation of recommended mitigation measures, there will be no significant adverse impacts on the environment.

Copies of the Mitigated Negative Declaration are on file in the office of the West Sacramento Community Development Department at 1951 South River Road, West Sacramento, CA 95691 (telephone: 916/373-5854).

Any affected or interested parties may appear at the November 2, 2000, Planning Commission meeting and comment on the Mitigated Negative Declaration and/or the proposed project.

The West Sacramento Planning Commission will consider adoption of the Mitigated Negative Declaration on November 2, 2000, in the City Council chambers located at 1350 Halyard Drive, West Sacramento, California, at 6:00 p.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard.

Oct 11

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 4, 2000
File No. 2000-609

The following person is doing business as Euro American Legal Education Institute, 4317 Almond Lane, Davis, CA 95616:

Michael B. Salerno, same address.

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/s/Michael B. Salerno

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Sept 20 27 Oct 4 11

Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed SEP 8, 2000
File No. 2000-701

The following person is doing business as Travelsphere, 1111 Kennedy Place, Suite 2, Davis, CA 95616:

Websoft Developers, Inc., a California corporation.

This business is conducted by a Corporation. The registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 5/1/00.

/s/Manoj Desai, President
Websoft Developers, Inc.

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Date: SEP 8, 2000
by: /s/Sara Pfeifle, Deputy Clerk
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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 14, 2000
File No. 2000-633

The following person is doing business as PT Welding, 126 Muir Circle, Woodland, CA 95695:

Patrick Tyler Trafican.

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/s/Pat Trafican

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Fictitious Business Name Statement
Filed Aug 18, 2000
File No. 2000-650

The following person is doing business as Café Bernardo, 234 D St., Davis CA 95616:

PK Partnership, 1403 28th St., Sacramento, CA 95816.

This business is conducted a General Partnership. Previous fictitious business name number 95-739.

/s/Randy Paragary

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SPECIAL NOTICE

The noticed public hearing on Resolution 00-57 to consider River Walk Park Use fees, originally scheduled for October 11, 2000 at 7:00 P.M. has been canceled. It will be rescheduled and re-noticed for a later date.

hk Oct 11

NOTICE OF VEHICLE LIEN SALE

Notice is hereby given pursuant to CA. Civil Code Sec 3071 and 3072 that AAA Storage – 226 Dr. Claussen Wy – Woodland, will for the purpose of satisfying lien for storage, sell at public auction, at 9:00 a.m., the 24th day of Oct., 2000 the following vehicle to wit:

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Bob Kolak Auction Service
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PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The West Sacramento City Council will conduct a public hearing on October 18, 2000 at 7:00 PM or as soon thereafter as possible on the following. The hearing will be held at city hall, 1350 Halyard Dr., West Sacramento. Interested persons are invited to attend. In compliance with the ADA, if you need assistance to participate in this meeting, you should contact the City Clerk at 373-5800. Notification 72 hours prior to the meeting will enable the City to make reasonable arrangements to assure accessibility to this meeting. City Hall is handicapped accessible.

1. To consider actions in conjunction with the proposed lease or sale of 12 units of affordable new multi-family housing for families at the corner of Douglas and Cummings St., West Sacramento (Assessor's Parcel Number: 014-630-38), also known as parcel B of Las Casitas.

The public hearing is required to review a report required by section 33433 of the California Health and Safety Code on the proposed sale, lease and/or transfer of Parcel B, in conjunction with consideration of approval of a proposed Disposition and Development Agreement with West Sacramento Housing Development Corporation.

The 33433 report and proposed draft Disposition and Development Agreement can be reviewed at the Redevelopment Agency Offices at 1350 Halyard Drive, Monday to Friday 8 am to 5 PM. For further information contact Joanne Auerbach or Tina Gontarski at 373-5843.

2. On the proposed establishment of City of West Sacramento Community Facilities District No. C (Gainsborough Services). NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the West Sacramento City Council on September 13, 2000, adopted its Resolution No. 00-30, in which it declared its intention to establish a community facilities district, to establish an appropriations limit for such district, and to levy a special tax to pay for certain services, all pursuant to the provisions of the Mello-Roos Community Facilities Act of 1982, Chapter 2.5, Part 1, Division 2, Title 5 of the California Government Code and Chapter 3.32 of the City Municipal Code. The resolution describes the boundaries of the proposed district, the services proposed to be financed, and the rate, method of apportionment, and manner of collection of the proposed special tax. The City proposes to tax all interests in property that may be taxed under the Act. For further details, the resolution is available at the office of the City Clerk, 1350 Halyard Drive, West Sacramento, California.

At the hearing, the testimony of all interested persons or taxpayers for or against the establishment of the district, the extent of the district, or the furnishing of the specified services will be heard.

If (i) 50% or more of the registered voters or six registered voters (whichever is more) residing within the District or (ii) the owners of one-half or more of the area of the land within the District that is not exempt from the special tax file written protests against the establishment of the district, and the protests are not withdrawn so as to reduce the value of the protests to less than a majority, the creation of the district and the tax levy shall not be considered for a period of one year from the date of the decision of the City Council after the hearing. If the majority of the registered voters or the landowners protests only against a specific type of service or a specified tax, then that type of service or tax shall be precluded.

NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN that if, at the conclusion of the public hearing, the City Council determines to establish the district, the City Council will order an election to be held by the qualified electors of the district by mailed ballot, with each such elector having one vote for each acre or portion of an acre owned by the elector, on the questions of levying the special tax and establishing an appropriations limit.

Oct 4 & 11

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
FEDERAL AID PROJECT
NUMBER: RPL-5447 (015)
STATE NUMBER: 03-YOL-0-WSAC
CITY WORK ORDER
NUMBER: 1406

Sealed proposals for the work shown on the plans entitled:

WEST CAPITOL AVENUE BICYCLE PARK AND BIKE PATH RELOCATION PROJECT FEDERAL AID PROJECT NUMBER RPL-5447 (015)

will be received at the Department of Community Development, 1951 South River Road, West Sacramento, California 95691, until 2:00 a.m. on Tuesday, October 24, 2000 at which time they will be publicly opened and read in the Conference Room at said address.

General Work Description: The work generally consists of the construction of a bike path from just east of the Yolo Causeway to a point on West Capitol Avenue where a mid-block crossing will be installed as shown on the plans. Included with the bike path is the installation of post and cable railing, lighting, bollards, culverts, water service connection, inlet modifications, fence relocation, partial removal of a concrete basin and widening of West Capitol Avenue. In addition to the bike path, a park will be constructed which includes grading the area and installation of irrigation and landscaping, and other related improvements as shown on the plans.

The work also shall include the replacement of any pavement, sidewalk, curb and gutter or public and private improvements removed or damaged as a consequence of the execution of this Contract, as well as all necessary traffic control.

This Contract has a completion time of forty-five (45) working days.

This project has a goal of 10 percent Disadvantaged Business Enterprise (DBE) participation.

No pre-bid meeting is scheduled for this project.

At the time this Contract is awarded, the Contractor shall possess a Class A General Engineering Contractor's License issued by the State of California.

This Contract is subject to State contract nondiscrimination and compliance requirements pursuant to Government Code, Section 12990.

Plans and specifications, and proposal forms for bidding this project can only be obtained at the office of the Director of Community Development of the CITY OF WEST SACRAMENTO, located at 1951 South River Road, West Sacramento, California 95691 (telephone 916-373-5854). A non-refundable payment of $30.00 for each set is required if picked up, and $40.00 if mailed.

No bid will be accepted unless it is made on the Proposal Form provided in these Special Provisions. Bids are required for the entire work described herein.

Each proposal must be accompanied by cash, a cashier's check, certified check or bid bond, executed on the prescribed form, in an amount not less than ten (10) percent of the total bid price payable to the City of West Sacramento. Such guarantee will be forfeited should the bidder to whom the contract is awarded fail to enter into the contract.

Bidders are hereby notified that in accordance with the provisions of Government Code Section 4590, securities may be substituted for any monies which the City may withhold pursuant to the terms of this Contract to ensure performance. Such securities, if deposited by the Contractor, shall be valued by the owner, whose decision on valuation of the securities shall be final. Securities eligible for investment under this provision shall be limited to those listed in Section 22300 of the Public Contract Code and section 16430 of the Government Code.

The Department of Community Development hereby notifies all bidders that it will affirmatively insure that in any contract entered into pursuant to the advertisement, disadvantaged business enterprises will be afforded full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation and will not be discriminated against on the grounds of race, color, or national origin in consideration for an award.

Pursuant to Section 1773 of the Labor Code, the general prevailing rate of wages in the City in which the work is done has been determined by the Director of the Department of Industrial Relations. For bidding purposes these wage rate publications may be examined at the offices described above where project plans, Special Provisions, and proposal forms may be obtained. Future effective wage rates which have been predetermined and are on file with the Department of Industrial Relations are referenced but not printed in said publication.

Minimum wage rates for this project as predetermined by the Secretary of Labor are set forth in the Special Provisions. If there is a difference between the minimum wage rates predetermined by the Secretary of Labor and the prevailing wage rates determined by the Department of Industrial Relations for similar classifications of labor, the Contractor and his subcontractors shall pay not less than the higher wage rate. The Community Development Department will not accept lower State wage rates not specifically included in the Federal wage determinations. This includes "helper" (or other classifications based on hours of experience) or any other classification not appearing in the Federal wage determinations. Where Federal wage determinations do not contain the State wage rate determination otherwise available for use by the Contractor and subcontractors, the Contractor and subcontractors shall pay not less than the Federal minimum wage rate which most closely approximates the duties of the employees in question.

Attention is directed to the provisions of Public Contracts Code Section 5101 and following, concerning relief of bidders and in particular to the requirements therein that if the bidder claims a mistake was made in his bid, the bidder shall give the City written notice, within five (5) calendar days after the opening of bids of the alleged mistake, specifying in the notice, in detail, how the mistake occurred. The City reserves the right to reject any or all bids, and to determine which proposal is, in its judgment, the lowest responsive bid of a responsible bidder and which proposal should be accepted in the best interests of the City.

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Local Scene

Golden Years dinner

The Golden Years Club of West Sacramento will host a potluck dinner at the VFW Hall, 905 Drever St., on Tues., Oct. 17 at 6 p.m. Please bring your own service. This will be a dinner meeting. The club is a social club for people age 50 and over. For membership information, call Betty Drumheller at 371-8479 or Eva Aceituno at 371-8126.

Amphibious race

The second annual River Otter Amphibious Race, or ROAR, will run from Old Sacramento to West Sacramento's riverfront promenade on Sat., Oct. 21. The event was rescheduled from Sept. 16 due to lingering concerns over a sewage spill into the river in Sacramento. The cities of Sacramento and West Sacramento will again create entries to compete with each other for the Mayor's Cup. Entrants will traverse mud, water and sand during the amphibious race. The event is free to the public. For information on the event and its preceding pancake breakfast, call the Sacramento Metropolitan Chamber of Commerce, 552-6808 ext. 105.

College birthday

The West Sacramento Center of Sacramento City College will celebrate its one-year anniversary on Monday, Oct. 16, with free workshops on no- and low-cost health coverage for children, adult wellness checks, the Internet; financial aid and a small business seminar. Festivities also include storytime reading for children while parents attend workshops. Call 375-5511 to reserve a workshop space; the Center is located at 1275 Halyard Dr. and the birthday event will feature Assemblywoman Thomson, Mayor Cabaldon and others.

Gospel quartet

Anna St. Baptist Church will feature the River City Gospel Quartet at its Sunday morning service, Oct. 15, at 11 a.m., 1400 Anna Street.

Walk-a-thon

The 'Meals on Wheels' program, serving nutritional meals to shut-ins, will host a fundraising stroll at the County Fair Mall on Sat., Nov. 4, from 8-10 a.m. Channel 13 weatherman Dewey Hopper will be master of ceremonies. The goal is for 150 walkers to raise $10,000. With a minimum pledge of $20, walkers will receive a T-shirt. Call (530) 662-7035.

History society

The West Sacramento Historical Society will hold its annual business meeting Tues., Oct. 17, from 6:30-8:30 p.m. at the Arthur F. Turner Library. Officers will be elected, and if time permits, there will be a "show & tell," with visitors invited to bring an item of historical significance to discuss. Call Lana Paulhamus, 372-5117, for information.

Candidates' night

Soroptimist International of West Sacramento will host a candidates' night for those seeking a position on the city council or school board on the November ballot. The event has been rescheduled for Tues., Oct. 17, at 7 p.m. at 1350 Halyard Dr. All candidates are invited to speak to the public and answer questions.

Moose Lodge

On Saturday, Oct. 14, the Lodge will host "Ray's Famous Oktoberfest" with no-host cocktails 5-6 p.m., German food 6-7:30 p.m. and music & dancing starting at 7 p.m. $12/adult, $6 for children 12 & under. Call Ray Pleinis, 371-4963 or 371-9684.

Sports festival

City officials plan a "sport bike and cycle festival," with sport bikes, bicycles, clubs, booths, entertainment, climbing wall, bungee run and performing rollerbladers, all from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. on Oct. 14 at River Walk Park. Call 373-5819 for information on this free festival.

Baseball boosters

The "Cat Pack," the booster club of the River Cats baseball team, will meet on Wed., Oct. 17 at 7 p.m. at Club Pheasant Restaurant, 2525 Jefferson Blvd. The public is invited to celebrate the Triple-A team's first year in West Sacramento. Mayor Christopher Cabaldon, River Cats executive Bob Hemond and Bob Androvich (author of a book on the team's inaugural season) will be in attendance.

Job search

Free job search classes are available at the Yolo Co. Department of Employment and Social Services, 825 East St. in Woodland. Various job search skills are taught. Call (530) 669-2360.

West Sac 4-H

The West Sacramento 4-H Club will hold its monthly community meetings on the third Monday of each month at the Sam Combs Family Center, 205 Stone Blvd. Call 1-530-666-8703 for information.

Little jets

The Woodland/Davis Aeromodelers will sponsor their annual "Jet Fly," open to the public, from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Sat. Oct. 14 and Sun., Oct. 15, at 20179 County Rd. #102 (Pole Line Rd. between county roads 25 and 27). Admission is free. Scale models of the F86 Sabre, F-15, F-16 and other jets will be performing. Call Monty Welch, 707-451-1842, for information.

Financial planning

The East Yolo Friends in the Library have scheduled the second of their financial planning programs, called "How to not run out of money before your life," from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Sat., Oct. 14, at the Arthur F. Turner Library. Certified financial planner Martha Lewis will speak. Call 375-6465 for information. No charge for attending.

Food from the Philipines

City councilman Mark Montemayor, campaigning for re-election, will host an "adobo feed" fundraiser, providing a taste of the Phillipines. The event will take place at 6 p.m. on Friday, Oct. 27 at the ILWU Hall, 600 4th St. A $10 donation is requested. Call Montemayor at 371-6117 for information.

Spaghetti dinner

The campaign to elect Jeff Henry to the city council will host a spaghetti dinner on Friday, Oct. 13, from 6-8 p.m. at the ILWU Hall, 600 4th St. Tickets are $10 per person. On Thurs., Oct. 12, Coldwell Banker Real Estate and the West Sacramento Land Company will host a reception for Henry at 5:30 p.m. Cost is $20 at the door. The event will take place at 840 Jefferson Blvd.

Revival

Joy Christian Ministries is hosting a "Harvest Revival" this month, with services Oct. 22-27 at 7 p.m. (except for Sunday's, which will be at 6 p.m.). The band "Shop 11 Phoenix" will conclude the revival with a special youth service Friday night. The church is located at 825 Sunset Ave., West Sacramento. For information, call 375-0066.

Breakfast Buffet

VFW Post 8762 will host a breakfast buffet Sun., Oct. 15, from 9 a.m. to noon for $5 per person. The post is located at 905 Drever St. Menu includes biscuits & gravy, omelette or eggs & the trimmings.

'Rent-a-teen'

The youth of River of Life Community Church are available this Sat., Oct. 14, for "Rent-a-Teen Days," a fundraiser where they will rent themselves out to do odd jobs. Proceeds go to the group's two-week mission to Alaska next summer. Each teen or group of teens will be accompanied by an adult leader. Minimum donation is $5 per washed car or $8 per manpower hour.

Call Don or Melody Bosley at 373-9003 to reserve your spot on the workforce calendar. Other "Rent-a-Teen Days" include Nov. 11 and Nov. 25.

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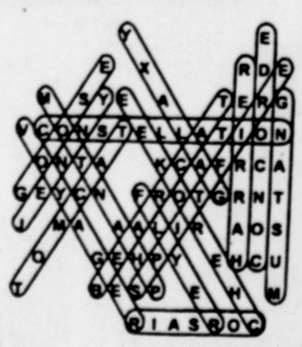
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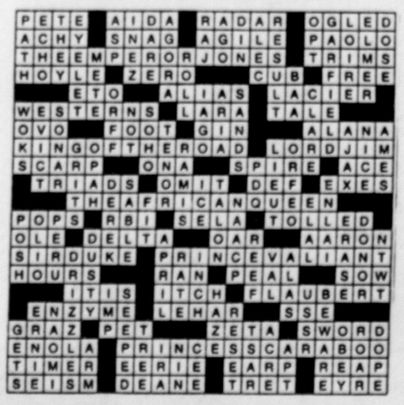
Answers to Sports Quiz & Puzzles

Answers:

1. Hank Aaron, Willie Mays and Eddie Murray all accomplished the feat; 2. Aubie Galan did it for the Chicago Cubs in 1937; 3. Four: Jeff George (1990), Drew Bledsoe (1993), Peyton Manning (1998) and Tim Couch (1999); 4. Christian Laettner, who actually had completed his collegiate career at Duke earlier in 1992; 5. The Sharks began NHL play in 1991; 6. False. Wallace won the award in 1984; 7. Ben Hogan was 41 when he won the 1953 British Open.

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Differences: 1. Feather is removed. 2. Hair is different. 3. Pocket is added. 4. Word is moved. 5. Card is moved. 6. Mouth is smaller.

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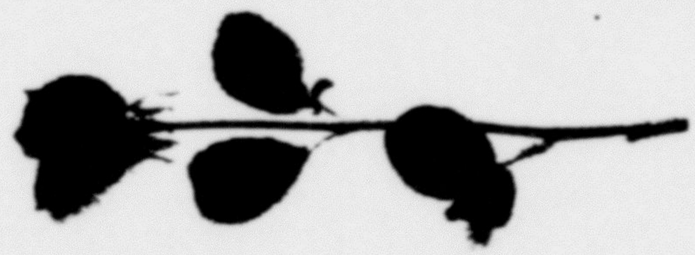
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